House File 49

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Passed	House,	Date	Passed	Senate,	Date	
Vote:	Ayes _	Nays	Vote:	Ayes _		Nays
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act permitting cash prizes at annual game nights conducted by qualified organizations representing volunteer emergency services providers.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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Section 1. Section 99B.8, Code 2007, is amended by adding 2 the following new subsection:

3 <u>NEW SUBSECTION</u>. 6. Notwithstanding any provision of 4 section 99B.7 to the contrary, if the games are conducted by a 5 qualified organization issued a license pursuant to subsection 6 3 that primarily represents volunteer emergency services 7 providers as described in section 100B.31, the sponsor may 8 award cash prizes to any participant in any game of skill, 9 game of chance, or card game lawfully conducted during the 1 10 annual game night in an amount not to exceed two hundred fifty 1 11 dollars per game, with a maximum of two thousand dollars 1 12 awarded to a participant for all games during the annual game 1 13 night.

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EXPLANATION

1 15 This bill permits a qualified organization that represents 1 16 volunteer emergency services providers holding an annual game 1 17 night to award prizes of up to \$250 to a participant per game 1 18 and up to \$2,000 for all games conducted during the game 1 19 night. A qualified organization is defined in Code section 1 20 99B.7 to include nonprofit entities, governmental 1 21 organizations, and school booster groups.

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